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A. RI	EGISTRANT IDENTIFI	CATION	
NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Investi	ment Advisors & Consul	tants, Inc	OFFICIAL USE ONLY
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BU	USINESS: (Do not use P.O. F	Box No.)	FIRM D. NO.
804 West Park Ave., Bld	lg C. Napple Value	***	
	(No and Street)		
Ocean	NJ	077	'12
(City)	(State)		(Zip Code)
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF James A Rice	PERSON TO CONTACT IN	REGARD TO THIS RE	PORT (732) 493-0620
			(Area Code – Telephone Number)
B. AC	COUNTANT IDENTIF	ICATION	
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT Jack W Kinas, CPA	Γ whose opinion is contained	in this Report*	
	(Name - if individual, state last,	first, middle name)	,
80 Steiner Avenue	Neptune City	NJ	07753
(Address)	(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)
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Certified Public Accountant			PROCESSED DEC 23 2003
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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

Í,	Thomas E Musumeci	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
my	knowledge and belief the accompanying finvestment Advisors & Consultan	inancial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of its, Inc
of	November 24,	, 20 03 , are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
nei	ither the company nor any partner, proprie	tor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account
cla	assified solely as that of a customer, except	as follows:
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		the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
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	consolidation.	
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		equacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.
**	For conditions of confidential treatment of	f certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

INVESTMENT ADVISORS & CONSULTANTS, INC.

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SEPTEMBER 30, 2003

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JACK W. KINAS

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT

MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE AND NEW JERSEY SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Directors Investment Advisors & Consultants, Inc. Ocean, New Jersey 07712

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Investment Advisors & Consultants, Inc. as of September 30, 2003, and the related statements of income, changes in stockholders' equity and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above represent fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Investment Advisors & Consultants, Inc. as of September 30, 2003 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained in Schedules A-1, A-2 and A-3 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by rule 17a-5 of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

November 18, 2003

JACK W. KINAS

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT

MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE AND NEW JERSEY SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Board of Directors Investment Advisors & Consultants, Inc. Ocean, New Jersey 07712

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Investment Advisors & Consultants, Inc. for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2003, we considered its internal control structure in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control structure.

We also made study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness and net capital under rule 17a-3(a)(11) and the procedures for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of rule 15c3-3. We did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in making the quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications and comparisons, and the recordation of differences required by rule 17a-13 or in complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under section 8 of Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, because the Company does not carry security accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining an internal control structure and practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of internal control structure policies and procedures and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the Commission's above mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of an internal control structure and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

Because of inherent limitation in any internal control structure or the practices and procedures referred to above, errors or irregularities may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

Our consideration of the internal control structure would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control structure that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of the specific internal control structure elements does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that errors or irregularities in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we note no matters involving the internal control structure that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the Commission to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures were adequate at September 30, 2003, to meet the Commission's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the use of management, the Securities and Exchange Commission, and other regulatory agencies which rely on rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and should not be used for any other purpose.

November 18, 2003

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INVESTMENT ADVISORS & CONSULTANTS, INC. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION SEPTEMBER 30, 2003

ASSETS

CURRENT	ASSETS
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Cash \$ 217,740
Commission Receivable 775,910
Prepaid Expenses & Other Current Assets 45,171

TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS

\$1,038,821

FIXED ASSETS (Note 1)

Office Equipment 198,011
Less: Accum. Depreciation 176,774 21,237
Leasehold Improvements 14,460
Less: Accum. Amortization 9,761 4,699

FIXED ASSETS @ NET BOOK VALUE

25,936

TOTAL ASSETS

\$1,064,757

LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

CURRENT LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable & Accrued Expenses \$ 26,282 Commissions Payable 697,720 Note Payable – Insurance 72,082

TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES

\$ 796,084

OTHER LIABILITIES

Other Liabilities

- 0 -

STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

Capital Stock – No Par or Stated Value

5,800

Auth. 1,000 Sh., Issued

& Outstanding 200 Sh.
Retained Earnings (Exhibit "C")

262,873

TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

268,673

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

\$1,064,757

EXHIBIT "A"

The Accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of these Financial Statements

INVESTMENT ADVISORS & CONSULTANTS, INC. STATEMENT OF INCOME FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2003

COMMISSION INCOME		AMOUNT	\$10,745,056	% TO SALES 100.0
COMMISSION INCOME			Ψ10,743,030	100.0
COMMISSION EXPENSE - Sa - Of	ales ficers	8,438,538 <u>887,722</u>	9,326,260	86.8
NET OPERATING INCOM SELLING & ADMINISTRA			1,418,796	13.2
See Exhibit "B-1"	VE EXPENSES		1,435,185	13.3
NET OPERATING LOSS OTHER INCOME & (EXPENSITE Interest Income	SES)	2,227	(16,389)	(0.1)
Interest Expense Conversion Costs TOTAL OTHER LOSS	•	(2,091) (40,000)	(38,864)	(<u>0.4)</u>
NET INCOME (LOSS) BEFOR	RE PROVISION FO	R FEDERAL	(56,253)	(0.5)
PROVISION FOR FEDERAL A	AND STATE INCC	ME TAX	1,389	-
NET (LOSS) INCOME FOR T	HE YEAR		<u>\$(57,642)</u>	(0.5)

EXHIBIT "B"

The accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of these Financial Statement

INVESTMENT ADVISORS & CONSULTANTS, INC.

JACK W. KINAS

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT

INVESTMENT ADVISORS & CONSULTANTS, INC. SCHEDULE OF SELLING & ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2003

SELLING & ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES			
Rent & Utilities	50,269		0.5
Telephone Expense	61,490		0.5
Auto Expenses	54,639		0.5
Depreciation Expense	8,340		-
Office Salary	467,769		4.5
Officers' Salary	59,342		0.5
Payroll Taxes	45,782		0.4
Office Supplies & Expenses	152,274		1.5
Employee Health & Life Insurance	100,140		0.9
Professional Fees	35,773		0.3
Insurance Expense	23,678		0.2
Travel & Entertainment	216,273		2.1
Advertising & Promotion	1,997		-
Miscellaneous Expenses	44,412		0.4
Licenses & Registrations	24,891		0.2
Seminars & Training	8,684		-
Technology Costs	<u>79,432</u>		0.8
TOTAL SELLING & ADMIN. EXPENSES		1,435,185	13.3

EXHIBIT B-1"

The accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of these Financial Statements

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY OR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2003

	Capital <u>Stock</u>	Retained <u>Earnings</u>
BEGINNING BALANCE - October 1, 2002	\$5,800	\$320,515
ADD: Net Income (Loss) for the Year		(57,642)
ENDING BALANCE - September 30, 2003	<u>\$5,800</u>	<u>\$262,873</u>

EXHIBIT "C"

The Accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of these Financial Statements

INVESTMENT ADVISORS & CONSULTANTS, INC.

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2003

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net Income	\$ (57,642)	
Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income		
To Net Cash Used By Operating Activities		
Depreciation	8,340	
(Increase) Decrease in:		
Commissions Receivable	(94,846)	
Prepaid Expenses	(25,210)	
Increase (Decrease) in:		
Trade Payments & Taxes	(767)	
Commissions Payable	94,421	
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NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES		(75,704)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchase of Fixed Assets	_(674)	
NET CASH USED FOR INVESTING ACTIVITIES		(674)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Increase in Installment Obligations	(72,082)	
NET CASH USED FOR FINANCING ACTIVITIES		72,082
NET DECREASE IN CASH		(4,296)
CACALAN DECEMBER OF MEAN		222.026
CASH AT BEGINNING OF YEAR		222,036
CACILATEND OF VEAD		217.740
CASH AT END OF YEAR		<u>217,740</u>
CIDDI EMENTAL DISCLOSIDES		
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES Income Toyles Beid		\$ 7,159
Income Taxes Paid		<u> 1,139</u>

EXHIBIT "D"

The Accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of these Financial Statements

INVESTMENT ADVISORS & CONSULTANTS, INC.

INVESTMENT ADVISORS & CONSULTANTS, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2003

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

NATURE OF THE COMPANY'S BUSINESS

Investment Advisors & Consultants, Inc., was incorporated under the laws of the State of New Jersey on May 24, 1979; the corporation is a registered broker dealer licensed in New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Florida, Massachusetts, Delaware, North Carolina, Maryland, Connecticut, Washington, D.C., Colorado, Virginia, South Carolina, California, Oklahoma, Texas, Arizona, Kansas, Missouri, Vermont, Georgia, Indiana, Michigan, Oregon, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, Maine, New Mexico, Ohio and Hawaii for sale of mutual funds and variable annuity products. The Company also acts as an introducing broker dealer for the sale of individual securities.

The Corporation is licensed under regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the National Association of Security Dealers and is a member of Securities Investor Protection Corporation.

INCOME TAXES

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are computed annually for differences between the financial statement and tax bases of assets and liabilities that will result in taxable or deductible amounts in the future based on enacted tax laws and rates applicable to the periods in which the differences are expected to affect taxable income. Valuation allowances are established when necessary to reduce deferred tax assets to the amount expected to be realized. Income tax expense is the tax payable or refundable for the period plus or minus the change during the period in deferred tax assets and liabilities.

INVESTMENT ADVISORS & CONSULTANTS, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Cont'd) SEPTEMBER 30,2003

FURNITURE, EQUIPMENT & LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS

Furniture and equipment are carried at cost. Depreciation is recorded under the MACRS method.

Leasehold improvements are carried at cost. Amortization is recorded under the straight-line method. Since the difference in depreciation for book and tax purposes is considered immaterial, no provision is necessary for deferred tax liabilities.

NOTE 2 - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Investment Advisors rents office space at fair market value from an agency that is 50% owned by an officer of the company.

NOTE 3 - INCOME TAXES

The provision for income taxes is comprised of the following components:

Income Taxes Currently Reportable:

Federal \$- 0 -State 1,389 Provision \$1,389

<u>COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL</u> <u>SEPTEMBER 30, 2003</u>

A/	Total Ownership Equity from Balance Sheet (Exhibit "A")	\$268,673
B/	Add: Allowable Subordinated Liabilities	-
C/	Total Capital and Allowable Subordinated Liabilities	268,673
D/	Less: Deductions and/or Charges	_88,667
E/	Net Capital Before Haircuts on Securities Positions	180,006
F/	Haircuts on Securities	<u> </u>
G/	NET CAPITAL	<u>\$180,006</u>

SCHEDULE "A-1"

The Accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of these Financial Statements

INVESTMENT ADVISORS & CONSULTANTS, INC. RECONCILIATION OF NET CAPITAL SEPTEMBER 30, 2003

NET CAPITAL (Form X-17A-5) Part IIA	\$180,477
Add: Increase of Allowable Assets (Per Audit)	13,368
Less: Increase of Allowed Payable (Per Audit)	(13,839)
Net Capital (Accountant's Report) (Schedule "A-1")	<u>\$180,006</u>

SCHEDULE "A-2"

The Accompanying Notes are an integral Part of these Financial Statement

INVESTMENT ADVISORS & CONSULTANTS, INC. COMPUTATION OF AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS SEPTEMBER 30, 2003

A/	Total Liabilities (A.I.) from Balance Sheet (Exhibit "A")	\$ 796,084
B/	Add:	
	1) Drafts for Immediate Credit	
	2) Market Value of Securities - Borrowed for which no equivalent - Value is paid or credited -	
C/	TOTAL AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS	\$ 796,084
D/	Percentage of Aggregate Indebtedness to Net Capital	
	\$ 796,084 180,006 (Schedule "A-1")	442.25%

SCHEDULE "A-3"

The Accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of these Statements